

VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF NURSING
DOCTOR OF NURSING PRACTICE PROGRAM
Executive Leadership Track
5 Semester Plan

Name: _____

Date Enrolled: _____
(Semester/Year)

Advisor: _____

Est. Graduation: _____
(Month/Year)

5 Semester Plan – [Executive Leadership]

Fall Year 1			Spring Year 1			Summer Year 1				
Course	Semester 1	Cr	Course	Semester 2	Cr	Course	Semester 3	Cr		
N8010	Evidence-Based Practice I: The Nature of Evidence	2	N8014	Statistics in Health Sciences	3	N8024	Epidemiology	3		
N8042	Quality Improvement & Patient Safety	3	N8022	Evidence-Based Practice II: Evaluating and Applying Evidence	3	N8032 or N8034*	Healthcare Economics and Finance OR Advanced Healthcare Economics and Finance	3		
N8064	Scholarly Writing	1	8069	Lean Methodology in Healthcare	2	May be taken spring or summer	8069	Lean Methodology in Healthcare	2	May be taken spring or summer
			N8105	Integrative Application of Evidence-Based Practice	1		N8105	Integrative Application of Evidence-Based Practice	1	
Total Semester Credits/Hours (6)			Total Semester Credits/Hours (9)			Total Semester Credits/Hours (9)			Total Credits/Hours: 24	
Fall Year 2			Spring Year 2							
Course	Semester 4	Cr	Course	Semester 5	Cr					
N8012	Informatics for Scholarly Practice	2	N8052	Health Policy	2					
N8045	Evidence-Based Leadership in Healthcare Organizations: Creating Sustainable Value in Health Care	3	N8054	Legal and Ethical Environment	3					
N8105	Integrative Application of Evidence-Based Practice	1	N8105	Integrative Application of Evidence-Based Practice	1					
			Elective		2-3					
Total Semester Credits/Hours (6)			Total Semester Credits/Hours (12-15)							
Total Credits/Hours: 12-15									Total Program Credits Required: 36	

*Choose N8032 or N8034 after discussion with advisor